**Indefinite Pronoun Chart**

**Use the following word bank to fill the tables below:**

**all, any, anybody, anyone, anything, both, each, either, everybody, everyone, everything, few, many, more, most, neither, nobody, no one, none, nothing, one, several, some, somebody, someone, something**

**INDEFINITE PRONOUNS that are ALWAYS SINGULAR (16)**

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**INDEFINITE PRONOUNS that are ALWAYS PLURAL (4)**

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**INDEFINITE PRONOUNS that MAY BE SINGULAR OR PLURAL depending on meaning in a sentence (6)**

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**Exercise 1 Making Personal Pronouns Agree with Indefinite Pronouns.**

*Underline the correct pronoun in each sentence.*

1. Each of the men raised (his, their) arms to the crowd.

2. All of the paints will keep (its, their) color for years.

3. Both of the boys will complete (his, their) assignments.

4. Many who heard the thunder thought (he, they) would outwit the storm.

5. Either of the actresses will do (her, their) best.

6. Prior to living in the dormitory, each of the girls had tried living in (her, their) own apartment.

7. Several of the photographs had lost (its, their) finish.

8. Few of the items in the store seemed worth (its, their) price.

9. If everybody rushes toward you at once, avoid (him, them) by stepping aside.

10. Most of the girls like (her, their) new swimming coach.

11. While neither of the apples looked ripe, we had no choice but to eat (it, them).

12. All of those who spoke seemed unwilling to state (his, their) honest opinions.

13. Each of the boys looked out for (his, their) buddy.

14. Only one of the girls had (her, their) hair cut.

15. Each of the patrons wanted (his or her, their) money back when the play was canceled.

**Exercise 2 Making Personal Pronouns Agree with Indefinite Pronouns.**

*Write an appropriate personal pronoun to complete each sentence.*

**EXAMPLE:** Each of the Brownies has sold *her* quota of Girl Scout cookies.

1. Most of the fans brought blankets with\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

2. Most of our furniture has scratches on\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  .

3. Several of my classmates handed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in essays early.

4. No one on the girls’ swim team wears \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ goggles in a meet.

5. Everyone in the Women’s Club brings\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ own expertise to the project.

6. Few of the voters changed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ minds after the debate.

7. Much of the glass has smudges on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

8. Has anyone in Dan’s Cub Scout pack decided on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ project yet?

9. All of the musicians are tuning\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  instruments.

10. I think some of the tourists brought cameras with\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  .

**Exercise 3 Making Indefinite Pronouns agree with Verbs.**

*Underline each indefinite pronoun and write S or P for singular or plural in the blank. Then underline the correct verb. Use the Indefinite Pronoun Tables to help you.*

1. \_\_\_\_\_AlI of the dogs (is, are) pure purebreds.

2. \_\_\_\_\_None of the doctors (was, were) specialists.

3. \_\_\_\_\_AlI of his paintings (is, are) displayed here.

4. \_\_\_\_\_Most of the sauce (has, have) been spilled.

5. \_\_\_\_\_Most of the nests (has, have) been deserted.

6. \_\_\_\_\_Everyone at home (were, was) asleep.

7. \_\_\_\_\_Several (is, are) missing from the picture.

8. \_\_\_\_\_One of the men (is, are) hiding in the barn.

9. \_\_\_\_\_Few (has, have) visited this shop before.

10. \_\_\_\_\_Several here (is, are) experts on tax laws.

11. \_\_\_\_\_Each of the pups (has, have) a new owner.

12. \_\_\_\_\_Few in the group (has, have) seen koalas.

13. \_\_\_\_\_Neither of the suits (fit, fits) me.

14. \_\_\_\_\_Some ice cream (is, are) melted.

15. \_\_\_\_\_None of the glasses (was, were) broken.

16. \_\_\_\_\_Some of the proposals (is, are) ridiculous.

17. \_\_\_\_\_AlI of the weed killer (is, are) in the tank.

18. \_\_\_\_\_Some of the grass (has, have) died.

19. \_\_\_\_\_Everyone in the band (is, are) playing.

20. \_\_\_\_\_Both of the members (is, are) eligible.

21. \_\_\_\_\_Somebody here (save, saves) coupons.

22. \_\_\_\_\_Everything in the store (is, are) on sale.

23. \_\_\_\_\_Someone in this office (is, are) whistling!